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In re patent application of:  
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For: **ENGINE AUXILIARY DRIVE FOR A MOTOR VEHICLE WITH A TOOTHED-  
GEAR DRIVE**

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.111**

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Dear Commissioner:

This is a full and complete response to the Final Office Action having a mailing date of December 8, 2009. The three month shortened statutory period to respond is set to expire March 8, 2010. Applicants petition for an appropriate extension of time. Please charge any fee deficiencies or credit any overpayments of Deposit Account No. 14-0112.

In view of the following amendments and remarks, Applicants respectfully request the Examiner to reconsider and withdraw the outstanding rejections and allow all claims pending in this application.

**REMARKS**

Reconsideration and withdrawal of the rejections set forth in the Final Office Action dated April 7, 2009, is respectfully requested in view of the following remarks. Claims 1-19 are pending in this application.